FISCAL NOTE

HB 41

January 24, 2007

SUMMARY OF BILL: Prohibits an insurance company from canceling or failing to renew any homeowner's policy based solely on filing one claim for property loss. A violation is punishable as a Class C misdemeanor as provided by TCA 56-1-801.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant

Increase Local Govt. Revenues – Not Significant Increase Local Govt. Expenditures – Not Significant

Assumptions:

- An increase in state expenditures to handle complaints and conduct investigations.
- There will not be a sufficient number of prosecutions for local governments to experience any significant increase in revenues or expenses.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director